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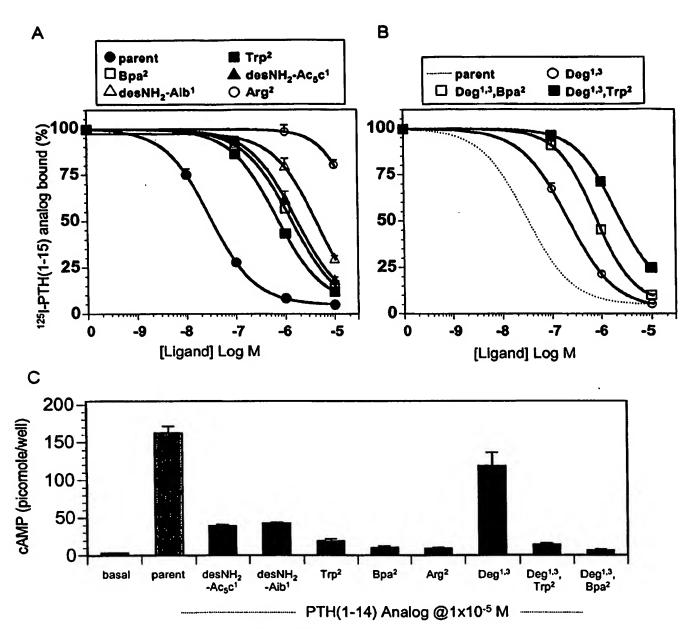
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27	[Ala, 3,12, Gln ¹⁰ , Har ¹¹ , Trp ¹⁴]PTH(1-14)NH ₂	Ala-Val-Ala-Glu-lle-Gln-Leu-Met-His-Gln-Har-Ala- Lys-Trp-NH2
14	[Ac ₃ c ¹ ,Aib ³ ,Gln ¹⁰ ,Har ¹¹ ,Ala ¹² ,Trp ¹⁴]PTH(1-14)NH ₂	Ac3c-Val-Aib-Glu-Ile-Gln-Leu-Met-His-Gln-Har- Ala-Lys-Trp-NH2
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25	[Deg ¹³ ,Bpa ² ,Nle ⁸ ,Gln ¹⁰ ,Har ¹¹ ,Ala ¹² ,Trp ¹⁴ ,Arg ¹⁹ ,Tyr ²¹]PTH(1- 21)NH ₂	Deg-Bpa-Deg-Glu-Ile-Gln-Leu-Nle-His-Gln-Har-Ala-Lys-Trp- Leu-Ala-Ser-Val-Arg-Arg-Tyr -NH2
	N-truncated peptides	
28	[Aib ³ ,Nle ⁸ ,Gln ¹⁰ ,Har ¹¹ ,Ala ¹² ,Trp ¹⁴ ,Arg ¹⁹ ,Tyr ²¹]PTH(3-21)NH ₂	Aib-Glu-Ile-Gln-Leu-Nle-His-Gln-Har-Ala-Lys-Trp- Leu-Ala-Ser-Val-Arg-Arg-Tyr-NH ₂
29	[Ile ⁵ ,Trp ²⁵ ,Tyr ³⁶]PTHrP(5-36)NH ₂	Ile-Gln-Leu-Leu-His-Asp-Lys-Gly-Lys-Ser-Ile-Gln-Asp-Leu-Arg-Arg-Arg-Phe-Phe-Leu-His-His-Leu-Ile-Ala-Glu-Ile-His-Thr-Ala-Glu-Tyr*-NH2
31	[Ile ³ ,Leu ¹¹ ,D-Trp ¹² ,Trp ²³ ,Tyr ³⁶]PTHrP(5-36)NH ₂	Ile-Gln-Leu-Leu-His-Asp-Leu-DTrp-Lys-Ser-Ile-Gln-Asp-Leu-Arg-Arg-Arg-Phe-Phe-Leu-His-His-Leu-Ile-Ala-Glu-Ile-His-Thr-Ala-Glu-Tyr-NH ₂
	123I-PTH tracer radioligand	
32	[Aib ^{1,3} ,Nle ⁸ ,Gln ¹⁰ ,Har ¹¹ ,Ala ¹² ,Trp ¹⁴ ,Tyr ¹⁵]PTH(1-15)NH ₂	Aib-Val-Aib-Glu-Ile-Gln-Leu-Nle-His-Gln-Har-Ala- Lys-Trp-Tyr*-NH ₂

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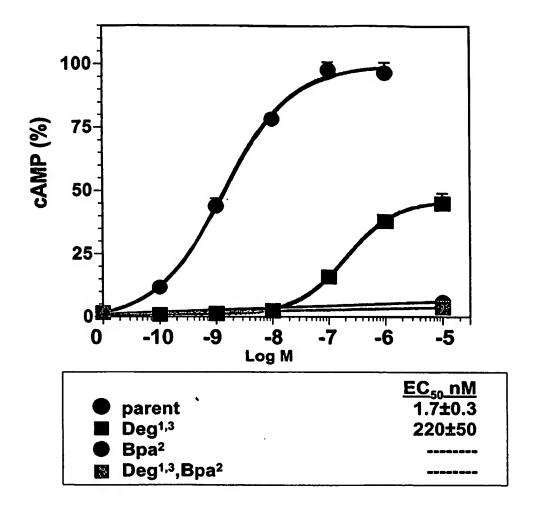
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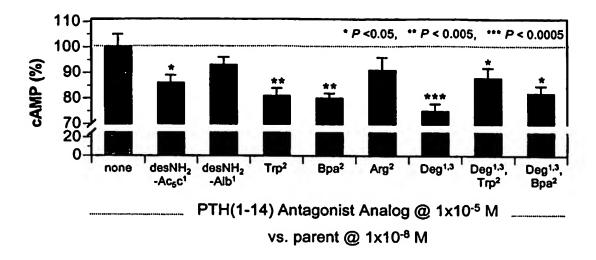
Functional Responses in HKRK-B28 Cells. Binding (A and B) and cAMP agonism/partial agonism assays (C) were performed in HKRK-B28 cells. The parent peptide was [AC5C1,Aib3,GIn10,Har11,Ala12,Trp14]PTH(1-14)NH2 and derivatives thereof were substituted at positions 1, 2 and/or 3, as indicated. Binding assays (4h @ 15©) were performed with ¹²⁵I-[Aib1,3,Nle8,GIn10,Har11,Ala12,Trp14,Tyr15]PTH(1-15)NH2 tracer. cAMP assays were performed at RT for 30 min. Relative to the parent, the substituted analogs lack appreciable agonist activity.

Figure 4



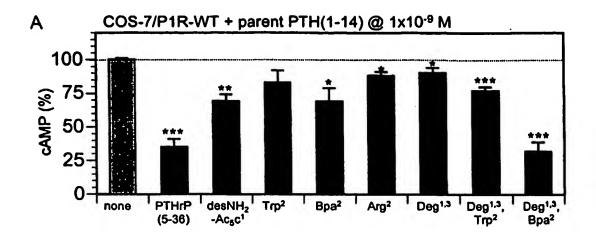
cAMP Responses in HKRK-B28 Cells. The parent peptide, [AC5C1,Aib3,Gln10,Har11,Ala12,Trp14]PTH(1-14)NH2, and derivatives thereof substituted at positions 1, 2 and/or 3, as indicated, were assayed for cAMP agonist responses in HKRK-B28 cells. The parent peptide functions as a fully potent and efficacious agonist, the Deg1,3-substituted analog is a partial agonist, and the Bpa2-substituted analogs lack agonist activity.

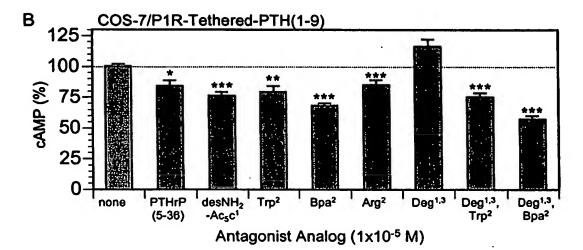
Figure 5



Antagonism Assays in HK-RK-B28 Cells. cAMP antagonism assays were performed in HKRK-B28 cells. Cells were treated with the J domain-selective agonist, [AC5C1,Aib3,GIn10,Har11,Ala12,Trp14]PTH(1-14)NH2 (parent) at 10 nM, either alone (none) or with a candidate antagonist peptide (10 μ M), which was a derivative of the parent PTH(1-14) peptide substituted at positions 1, 2 and/or 3, as indicated. Asterisks indicate significant reductions in cAMP levels, as compared to cells not treated with antagonist (none).

Figure 6

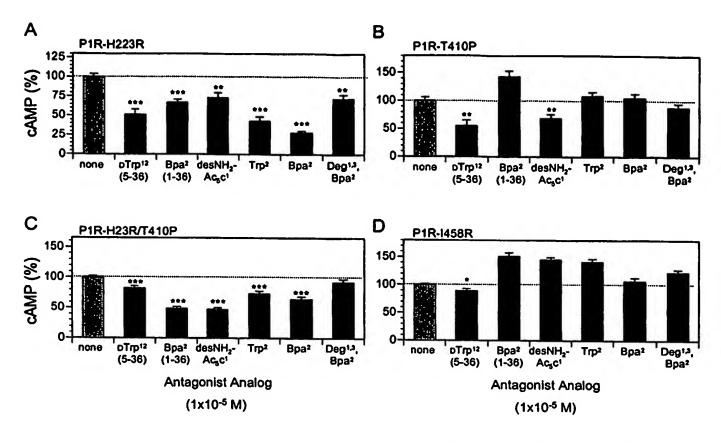




* P < 0.05, ** P < 0.005, *** P < 0.0005

Antagonism Assays in COS-7 Cells. cAMP antagonism assays were performed in COS-7 cells transfect with the wild-type P1R (A), or a constitutively active P1R derivative having the first 9 residues of PTH tethered to TM1 of the P1R and in place of the P1R N-terminal domain (inset), B). In A, cells were treated with the J domain-selective agonist, [AC5C1,Aib3,GIn10,Har11,Ala12,Trp14]PTH(1-14)NH2 (parent) at 1 nM, alone (none) or with a candidate antagonist peptide (10 μ M), which was a derivative of the parent PTH(1-14) peptide substituted at positions 1, 2 and/or 3, as indicated, or [I5,W23,Y36]PTHrP(5-36) analog. Asterisks indicate significant reductions in cAMP levels, as compared to cells not treated with antagonist (none).

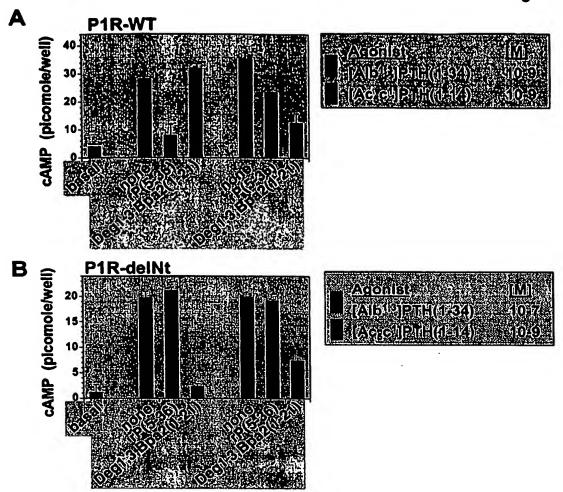
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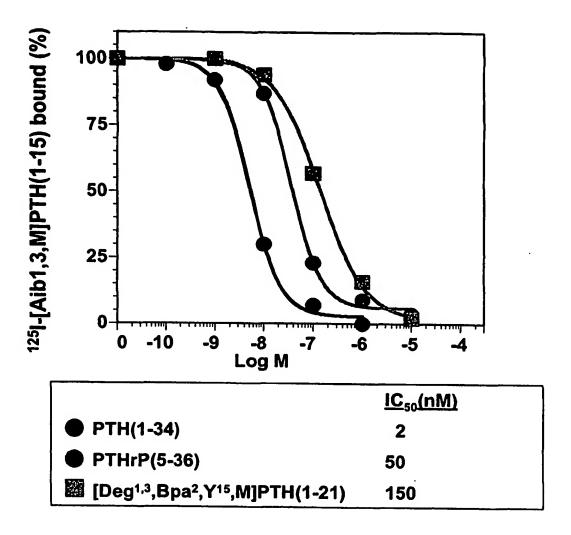
Inverse Agonist Responses in COS-7 Cells. COS-7 cells were transfect with the constitutively active P1Rs: P1R-H223R (A), P1R-T410P (B), P1R-H223R/T410P (C), or P1R-I458R (D) and then were incubated (30 min@R.T.) either in the absence of peptide (none) or in the presence of the indicated antagonist/inverse agonist peptide (10 μ M), and cAMP was measured by RIA. Asterisks indicate significant reductions in cAMP levels, compared to untreated cells (none).





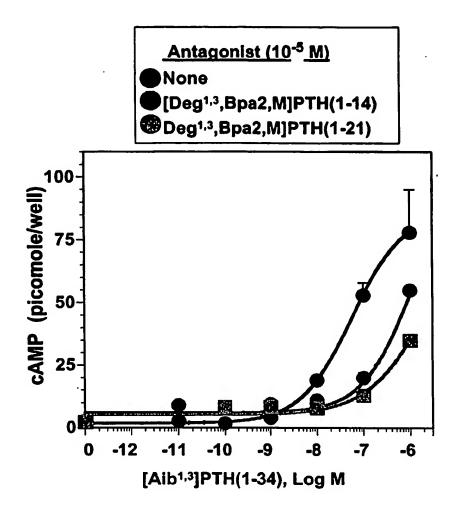
"N" versus "J" Domain selectivity of PIR Antagonists in COS-7 Cells. cAMP antagonism assays were performed in COS-7 cells transfect with the wild-type P1R (A), or a P1R derivative (P1R-delNt) having most (residues 24-181) of the P1R N domain deleted (B). Cells were treated with the agonist [Aib1,3,Tyr34]hPTH(1-34)NH2 ([Aib1,3]PTH(1-34)), which utilizes both N and J domains for affinity/potency, or with [AC5C1,Aib3,Gln10,Har11,Ala12,Trp14]PTH(1-14)NH2 ([Ac5c1]PTH(1-14)), which uses only the J domain for affinity/potency, at the concentrations indicated in the key, so as to elicit half-maximum cAMP responses in the absence of antagonist (none). The analogs PTHrP(5-36) and Deg1,3,Bpa2-PTH(1-21) were added at 1x10-5 M, as indicated. On the WT receptor, PTHrP(5-36) antagonizes PTH(1-34) analog more effectively than does Deg1,3,Bpa2-PTH(1-21), but the PTH(1-21) analog antagonizes PTH(1-14), more effectively than does PTHrP(5-36). On P1R-delNt, Deg1,3,Bpa2-PTH(1-21) antagonizes either agonist, whereas PTHrP(5-36) lacks antagonist capability. Thus, PTHrP(5-36) is an N domain-selective antagonist, whereas Deg1,3,Bpa2-PTH(1-21) is a J domain-selective antagonist. The analog Deg1,3,Bpa2-PTH(1-14) behaved similarly in these assays to Deg1,3,Bpa2-PTH(1-21).

Figure 9



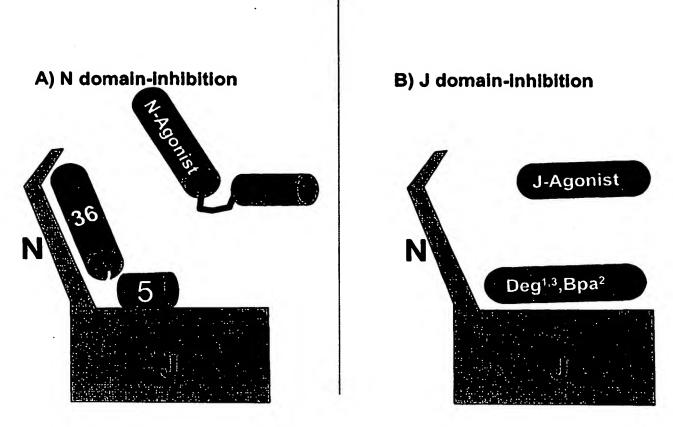
Competition Binding Assays in HKRK-B7 Cells. Binding assays were performed in HKRK-B7 cells, which express the wild-type hP1R, using ¹²⁵I- [Aib1,3,Nle8,Gln10,Har11,Ala12,Trp14,Tyr15]PTH(1-15)NH2 as a tracer radioligand and the indicated unlabeled peptides as competitors. PTH(1-34) is [Tyr34]hPTH(1-34)NH2.

Figure 10



Competitive Antagonism on P1R-delNt. COS-7 cells transfected with P1R-delNt were stimulated with varying concentrations of the agonist [Aib1,3,Tyr34]hPTH(1-34)NH2 ([Aib1,3]PTH(1-34)), either in the absence of antagonist (green circles) or In the presence of an antagonist, [Deg1,3,Bpa2,M]PTH(1-14) (red circles) or [Deg1,3,Bpa2,M]PTH(1-21) (yellow squares) each at 1x10-5 M, as indicated in the figure key. Each antagonist causes a parallel, right-ward shift in the agonist dose-response curve, which is consistent with a competitive mechanism of inhibition.

Figure 11



Two Modes of Competitive Inhibition at the P1R. Two modes of antagonism are now recognized at the P1R. N domain inhibition (A) is utilized by most conventional P1R antagonists, such as PTHrP(5-36) and PTHrP(7-34) analogs, and is based on the derivation of binding energy primarily from interactions between the (21-34) region of the ligand and the P1R N domain. This mechanism is effective for of inhibition of N-domain-dependent agonists, such as PTH(1-34), but not for N domain-independent agonists, such as PTH(1-14). J domain inhibition (B) is utilized by the novel analogs described herein, and is based on the derivation of binding energy primarily or wholly from interactions between the (1-20) region of the ligand and the J domain of the P1R. This mechanism is effective for inhibition of J-domain-dependent agonists, such as PTH(1-14) analogs, but not for N domain-dependent agonists, such as PTH(1-34). A J domain-selective antagonists would be useful for characterizing small-molecules that act as PTH mimetics, since such molecules are likely to bind to the J domain.

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